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09456150	12/07/1999	JOHN L. BEEZER	3797.84611	6044

TITLE OF INVENTION: DOCUMENT FORMATTING BASED ON OPTIMIZED FORMATTING VALUES

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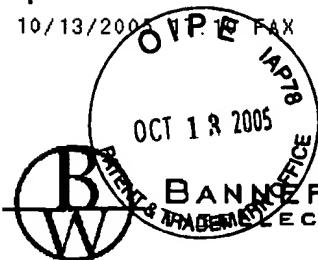
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Application Number	09/456,150
Filing Date	December 7, 1999
First Named Inventor	Beezer
Art Unit	2176
Examiner Name	Yuan

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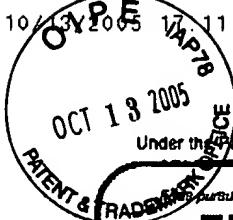
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$ 1400)

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Application Number	09/456,150
Filing Date	December 7, 1999
First Named Inventor	Beezer
Examiner Name	Yuan
Art Unit	2176
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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0

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##### Fee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

##### Small Entity

Fee (\$) Fee (\$)

50 25

Each independent claim over 30 (including Reissues)

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

##### Total Claims

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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